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Defence Training & Supply Dept.,

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4 June, 1969

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IRAQ - R.A.F. TRAINING

Thank you for your letter D/D.S. 8a/5/2 of 22 May giving background information about the Iraqi bids for R.A.F. training.

2. As regards pilot training, I can confirm that the F.C.O. line is still unchanged: i.e. we would not want to offer this form of training until the Iraqis decided to buy British aircraft.

3. However as you will have seen from Baghdad telegrams 456, 457 and 458 (copies enclosed) there is now a possibility of Iraqi interest in purchasing British aircraft crystallising in the reasonably near future. In the circumstances I hope you will agree that we should wait until this has developed further before committing yourself to a too definite reply to the Iraqis.

(N. O. RAMPTON)

D. C. Hole, Esq.,
D.S.8,
Ministry of Defence,
Main Building, S.W.1.

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Iraq. - R.A.F. Training

N.E.D. (Mr. Hinchell)
? any change since
your mail of 18/5.

Mr. Hinchell

Although it now
seems more
likely that
nothing will come
of the Iraqi
interest in buying
aircraft I
think that your
letter should still
go as it is.
Let us give them
another month before
we need write
again - by then
we should have had
some idea of the Iraqi
interest in

Mr. Hinchell

2/6/69

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letter D/D.S. 30/5/2 of
22 May giving background
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bids for RAF training.

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further before committing yourself
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to the Enquiries.

Yours.
W. R. G. 3/6

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Re PMMA 13/6

ACLANDS UNNUMBERED LETTER OF 12 MAY PARA 1.
2. REPORT NOT RECEIVED.
PLEASE EXPEDITE
EVANS

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Generalissimo, Ins. Des. 10/11

Mr. A. C. DANK 1.50

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a number w or I
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13/6.

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(En Clair

FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE TO BAGHDAD

Telno. 477 13 June, 1969 (NED)

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Your 120715Z: Aclands letter of 12 May paragraph 1.

Ministry concerned are working on this report and it
will be sent to you as soon as possible.

Stewart

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N.E.D.

JJJJJ

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* Date and time (G.M.T.) telegram should reach addressee(s)

13 JUN 1969

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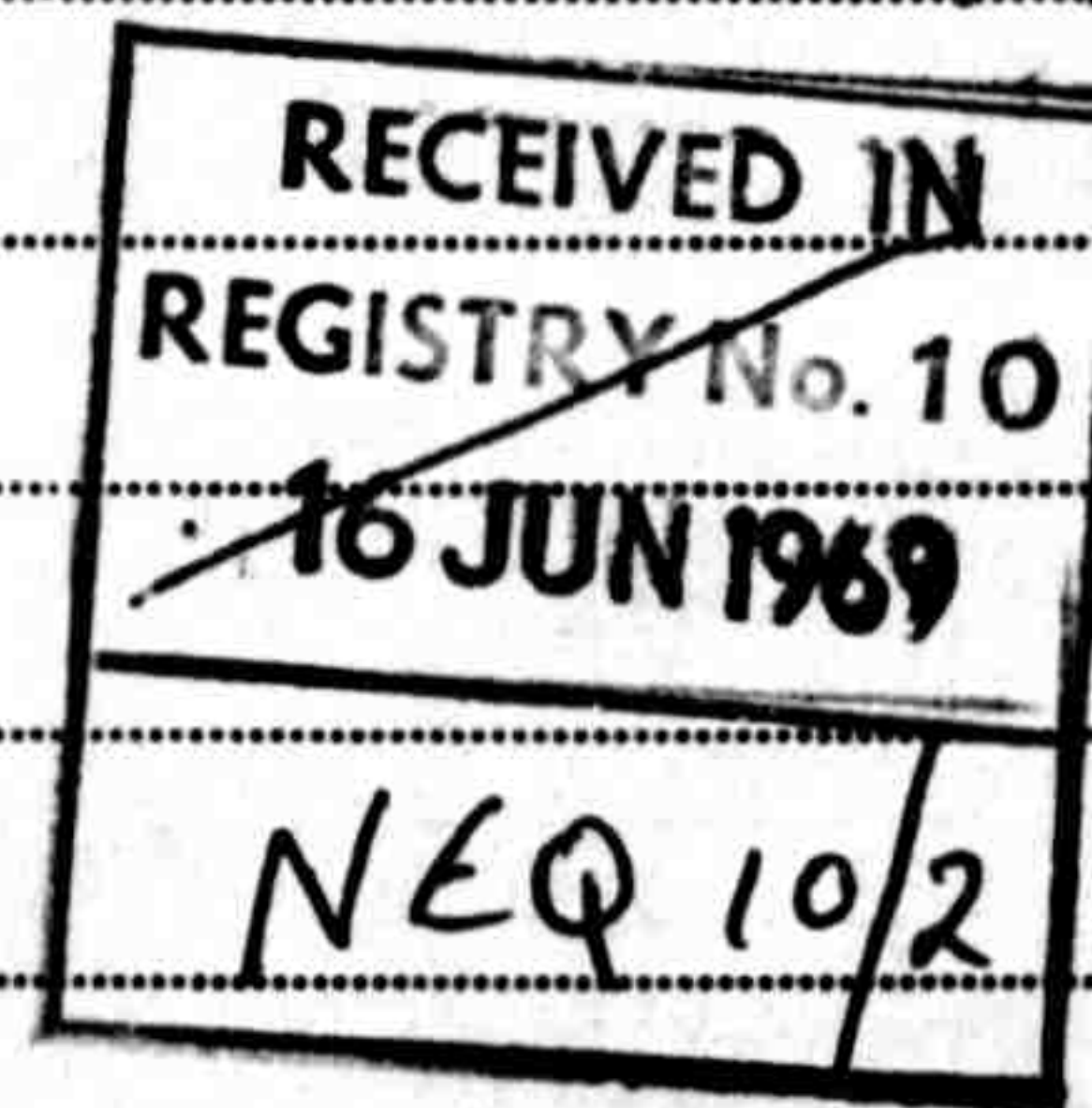
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And to:—

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YOUR 120715Z [OF 12 JUNE]. ~~ACLANDS~~

ACLANDS LETTER OF 12 MAY
PARA 1.

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BE SENT TO YOU AS SOON
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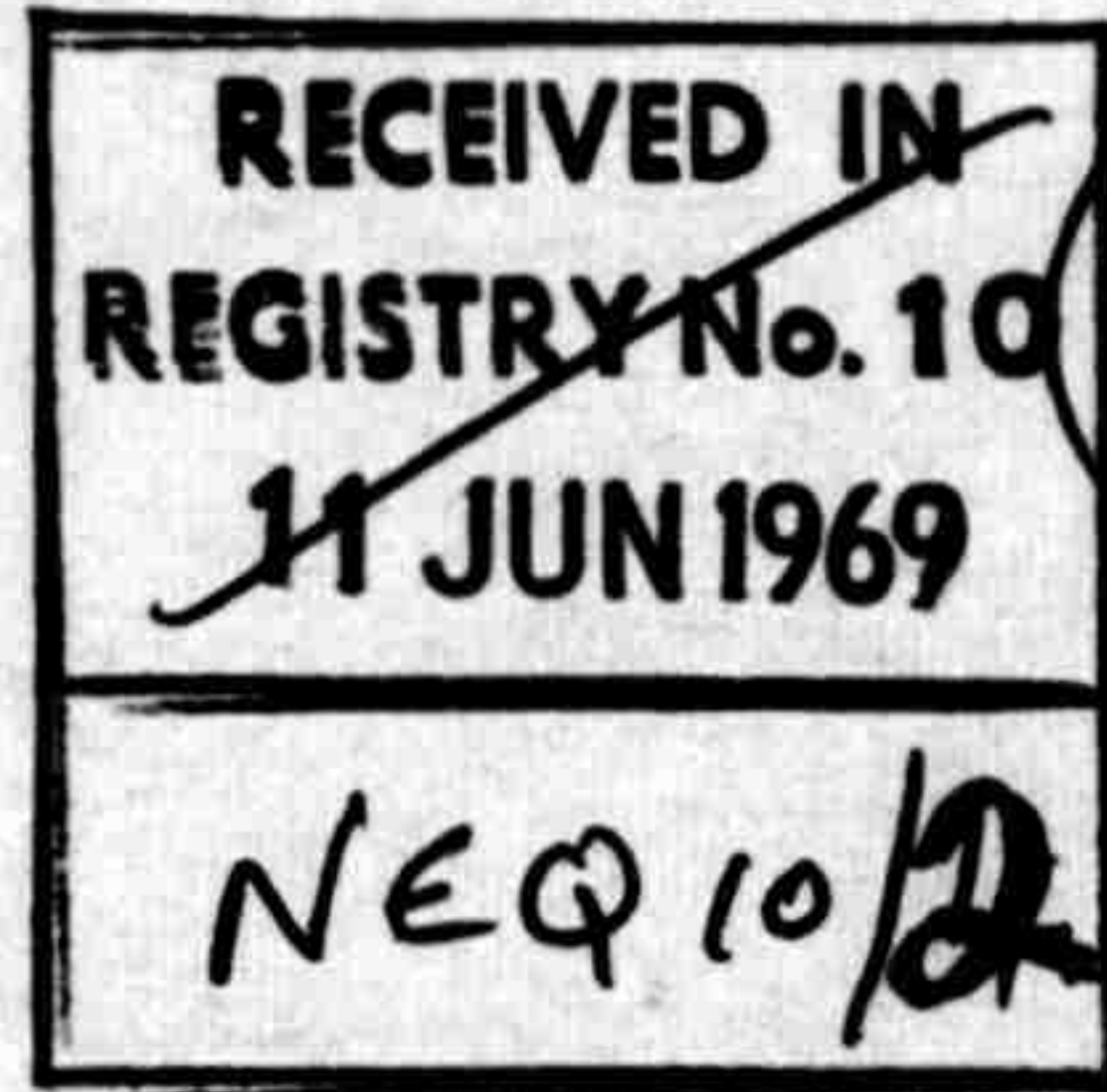
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BRITISH EMBASSY, we had in
TEHRAN.

5 June, 1969

M. Tripp agrees that
we should proceed as
mind.

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10/6

M. Tripp
Pl discuss 10/6.

Dear Peter,

Arms for Iraq

We are a little troubled here about Baghdad telegrams Nos. 458 and 474 about arms sales to Iraq. I am in some difficulty because we have not seen Baghdad telegrams Nos. 456 and 457, nor F.C.O. telegram No. 420 to Baghdad. However, though we do not know what precisely is involved, I thought I had better light a warning flare from this post.

2. When the possibility of supplying Lightnings to the Iraqis arose earlier in the year we commented (Tehran telegram No. 86) that the Iranians would be unlikely to react unfavourably if we were to do this, though you will recall that the Ambassador asked for authority to warn the Iranians in advance if the deal looked like becoming actual and before anything became public knowledge.

3. With the development of the Shatt dispute, the situation has changed considerably since our telegram was sent, and so, of course, have the Shah's views of the Iraqi regime. An announcement at this time of a British arms contract for Iraq, or indeed the hint that something of the sort might be in the air, would have a serious effect on Anglo-Iranian relations and could land us in much difficulty. It would not now simply be a matter of explaining away our action or intentions to the Shah and the Iranian Government. I think we would need to be consulted at all appropriate steps of your considerations of what might be offered to the Iraqis; and, at the time of writing, I think it would be fair to say that you should not assume that any sales of arms or equipment to Iraq could be put over here without a pretty hefty struggle in which we might lose much goodwill over other essential issues.

Yours ever

ACRO
TAMEN

Douglas

(D. F. Murray)

La
PULL

J. P. Tripp, Esq.,
Near Eastern Department,
F.C.O.

Cc. to:

P. McKearney, Esq., BAGHDAD.

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See Telegram no 318

6 Tehran
at Folio NEQ 10/4

From: Colonel J.R.B. Sharpe.

20/2/5.

MILITARY ATTACHE
BRITISH EMBASSY
BAGHDAD

Ref: BA/600/1

9 July 1969

Maj Genl R.M. Hall, MBE,
Office of Defence Sales,
Ministry of Defence,
Main Building,
Whitehall,
London S.W. 1.



*Pa. Copy for
info only.*

Dear General,

Thank you for your MB/HBS/20 dated 20 June 69.

I am addressing the first of these periodical reports - on present form Baghdad is likely to be a quarterly one - to you, so that you may decide whether this is the sort of thing Sir Raymond wants.

If it is not, you will no doubt say so and I shall have to try again after the leave I hope to take following the BS Int's conference next week.

Our sales record since opening up the Attaché's office last November is not an impressive one, particularly in the light of the high hopes of the first few months after the embassy re-opened in May 68. It was thought then that we were well on the way to a big air defence order including Lightning aircraft, radar, and communications equipment. Subsequently there were good prospects of a Tigercat sale. So far nothing has been signed, though I hope that a large Harrier deal must be pretty near agreement and the other items, with the exception of Tigercat, are still live issues.

In another field Edgar Nissen came out here to discuss a very hopeful looking Ferret deal. It was unfortunate that he arrived shortly after the "hanging" outcry in the British press had done severe damage to our relations here, but this was not the cause of the breakdown. The problem here, as in other cases, was our high prices, high credit charges, and slow delivery compared with our competitors. These are difficult obstacles to overcome when dealing with a country which has no money to spend and wants equipment in a hurry.

However, the Iraqis do appreciate that our equipment is better than others, are perhaps less suspicious of our motives in selling and have some, though not complete, faith in our spare parts system. In addition to this we know that the Minister of Defence, General (Air) Haidan Tikriti is keen to buy British and that he has done so in the past.

.../It is

You will wish to see -

little we can do - MA is trying his best!

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It is particularly unfortunate, therefore, that he feels that the Western Oil Companies are withholding money due to Iraq, whilst the Russians seem to have come up with a twenty-five million dinar loan for the exploitation of oilfields on very favourable terms. This is a major issue and there is little anyone can do until the exact form of the deal is known.

The DMR have also made a large loan to Iraq but they and the Russians will see to it that economic benefits resulting from their loans are not spent, on British equipment, but it may be that the Western Oil Companies will be sparked into action. This may result in some sort of payment by them to Iraq and then we shall have a very good chance of getting the money back again by military sales. Only this morning the P80 to the Minister of Defence said that his master was still very keen to buy British and implied that the Moscow visit at the end of May had not been an unqualified success, although the Russians had been remarkably friendly.

There are, therefore, still real hopes of a major deal in the air defence world, though with the exception of radar, these may not be realised until the Jaguar/Rapier era. Naturally they may be affected by the quite unpredictable political developments in the meantime.

I mentioned earlier that the Marconi deal was nearing completion, but have heard a whisper that it may be delayed as a result of another bid put in by Plessey which has made the Iraqis think twice about a contract which they were apparently ready to sign. Such things are likely to happen when private enterprise steps in, but I sometimes wonder whether there ought to be some means of "warning off" other British firms when one seems to be doing well.

The police are well on the way to buying twenty Sherland patrol cars - economic problems and an understandable desire to try a few first seem to be the reasons why they have not ordered over a hundred as was at one time hoped.

I am afraid that this is a rather hurried effort to get something on paper before going away for nearly two months, but I hope that it may serve to help Sir Raymond "smell the battle".

True security.
L.R.

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Please enter of 10/9

From: R.H. Shellard, Sales 5b(A)

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St. Christopher House, Southwark Street

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11 SEP 1969 September 1969

NEQ 10/2

Our ref: D/D Sales(A)/54/38/5

Dear *Tony*,

We have received an enquiry from the Iraqi Embassy for the supply of six Directors No 7 Mark 5.

Although this type of Director is no longer used in the British Army we are able to meet the Iraqi requirement. The total cost will be just over £860, and the General Staff have no objections to the supply.

Have you any objections to the supply of the Directors to Iraq, please.

^{over}
Yours faithfully,

Mr Stephenson

What is

a "Director"?

11/1

A.D.G. Stephenson Esq
Defence Training and Supply Department
Foreign and Commonwealth Office

Copy for information to - J.B. Wade

MOD DS13(b)

Mr Hunch ~~cliff~~
 Near Eastern Dept.

These "Directors" are range
 finders & gun laying directors
 used for very old equipment, and
 no longer in use with the British
 Army

M.O.D. would be very happy
 to "get rid of them"

As Supplied
 DTSD 12/9

In this case no objection
 from N.E.D.!

PMH Hand 16/9
 15/9

77.

(REQ 10/2)

18 September, 1969.

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Directors Mark 5 - Iraq

Thank you for your letter D/D Sales
(A)/54/38/3 of 9 September.

2. The Foreign and Commonwealth Office
would raise no objection to the supply of
these directors to Iraq.

(A. D. G. Stephenson)
Defence Training & Supply Department

R. H. Shollard, Esq.,
Sales 5b(A),
Ministry of Defence.

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CYPHER

Mr Steenson
What are these machines?
I have that they are not
tanks!! P.M. Hamill

CYPHER CAT.A.

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TELEGRAM NO OYT 241035Z

TO MOD ARMY

24 OCTOBER 1969

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FOR MOD ARMY TELNO. OYT 241035Z OCT.

FOR ARMY/SALES 2A. YOUR OYT 221502 OYT TO MY.

KNOWLEDGE NORMAL ESTABLISHMENT OF ARMoured ENGINEERS

USING CENTURION HULL INCLUDED BRIDGELAYERS, AVRE AND ZARK.

THESE ARE ASSUMED TO BE TYPES REQUIRED ~~ALTHOUGH A EEEEE~~

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AT SAME TIME. UNABLE TO BE MORE EXPLICIT ON THIS OR

ON PREVIOUSLY QUOTED TOTAL OF TWENTY FIVE PENDING NEXT

OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS WITH CHIEF ENGINEER.

2. AT SUCH A MEETING IT IS ESSENTIAL THAT I PRODUCE SOME
ANSWERS RATHER THAN QUESTIONS.

3. THEREFORE REQUEST EARLY REPLY ON: A. WHETHER WE
ARE LIKELY TO HAVE SUCH VEHICLES FOR DISPOSAL IN THE
FORESEEABLE FUTURE. B. WHETHER THEY INCLUDE ALL
TYPES MENTIONED ABOVE. C. COULD WE

OFFER THE ROUGH EQUIVALENT OF SIX BRITISH ARMoured
ENGINEER TROOP EQUIPMENTS. D. APPROXIMATE

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ENGINEER TROOP EQUIPMENTS. D. APPROXIMATE
DELIVERY DATES AND PRICES.

4. THIS APPEARS TO BE A GENUINE ENQUIRY BUT ONE WHICH
MAY WELL HAVE BEEN MADE TO OTHER COUNTRIES ALSO. UNLESS
I CAN PRODUCE AT LEAST SOME OF THE INFORMATION REQUESTED
ABOVE BY MID-NOVEMBER AT THE LATEST INTEREST WILL BE
HARD TO MAINTAIN.

[Sent Dec]

BALFOUR PAUL

SENT 1242Z/26 OCTOBER

RECD 1530Z/26 OCTOBER

From:- A. Miller Sales 5 (B) A *Please enter.*



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Telephone:- 01 - 928 - 7999 Extn. 3629

20th October 1969

Our reference:- D/D Sales (A)/135/38/1

Dear Tony,

Reference Beirut Telno. 081030Z OCT
addressed to MOD (Army).

I write to record our telephone conversation of last week in which you agreed that should the searchlights be available you would have no objections to the supply of 60 Radar operated selfpropelled anti-aircraft searchlights to SYRIA.

[Handwritten signature]

A. D. G. Stephenson, Esq.,
Defence Training and Supply Department,
Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

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Copy for information to:-

J. B. Wade, Esq., MOD DS 13b

[Handwritten signature]

30/10

Mr. Birchcliffe ~~MM~~ 30/10 R

AVRE (Armoured Vehicle Royal Engineers)

Centurian chassis with a 165 mm
gun for demolition purposes (nearly 7" bore!!)

ZARK (misprint, should be ARK)

is a Centurian chassis with double
bridging equipment on it. — Automatically
unfolding.

J.

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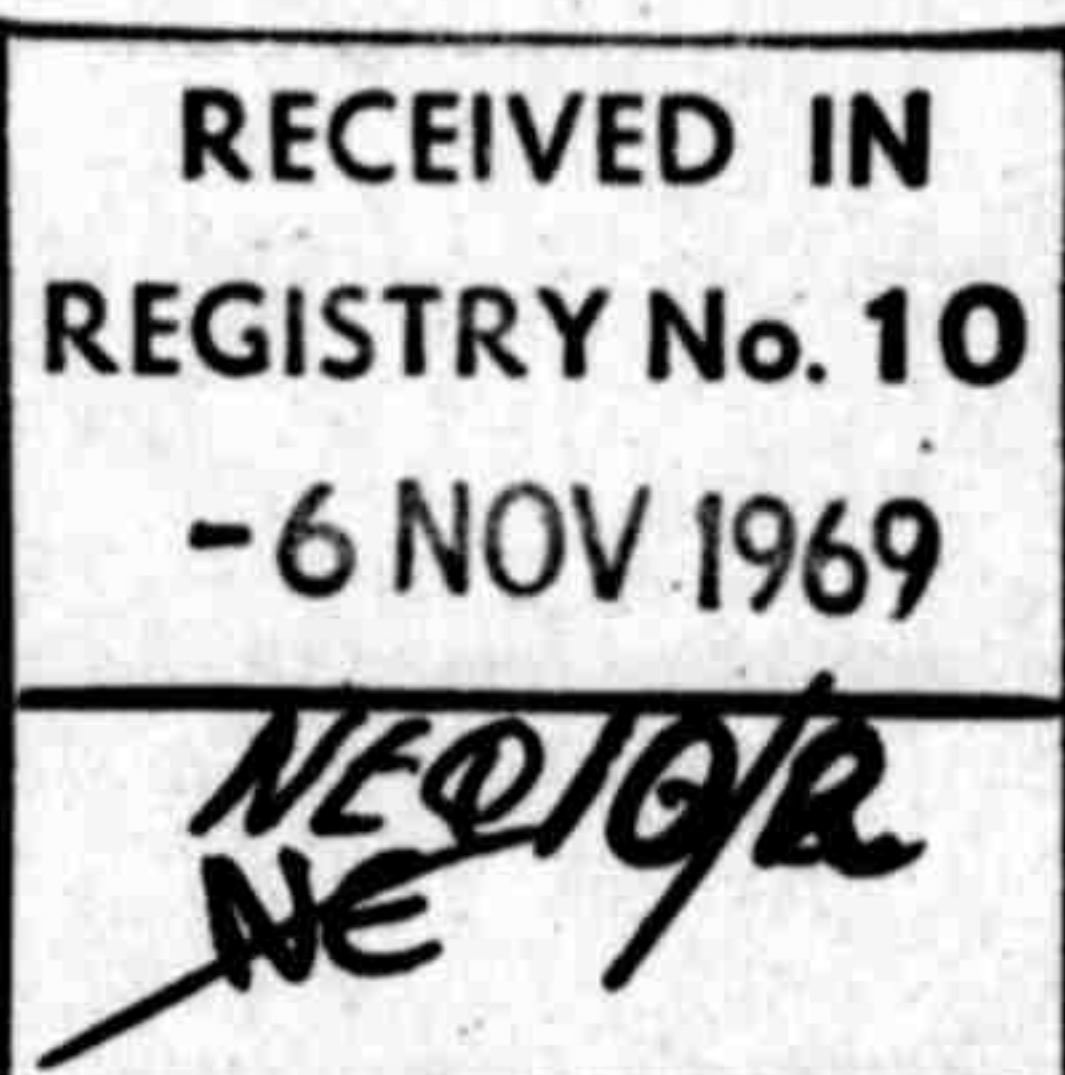
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TO MOD UK

TELEGRAM NO 050948Z

NOVEMBER 1969



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FOR MODUK TELNO. 050948 REPEATED FOR INFORMATION TO
FCO AND BOARD OF TRADE.

YOUR TELEGRAM NO. OYR 01045Z AUG.

2. THIS QUESTION WAS DISCUSSED WITH THE VISITING,

MISSION FROM THE COMMITTEE FOR MIDDLE

EAST TRADE RECENTLY. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE STATE

COMPANY FOR ENGINEERING INDUSTRIES, MR. HUSSAM AL

NAJIM, WILL BE ARRIVING IN THE UK ON 17 OR 18 NOVEMBER

AND WOULD LIKE TO MAKE DIRECT CONTACT WITH GREENWOOD

AND BATLEY. HE WANTS TO OBTAIN THE RELEVANT DRAWINGS AND

PRECTION INSTRUCTIONS. GRATEFUL IF ARRANGEMENTS COULD BE MADE

AND MESSAGE LEFT FOR AL NAJIM WITH THE IRAQI MILITARY

ATTACHE IN LONDON.

3. GRATEFUL IF BOARD OF TRADE WOULD ALSO INFORM THOMSON

OF COMET ABOUT AL NAJIM'S VISIT.

FCO PLEASE PASS TO BOARD OF TRADE.

MR. BALFOUR PAUL

FILES:

N.EAST.D.

E.P.D.

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[SENT TO D.C.C.]

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11 NOVEMBER, 1969

Mr Stiller OTSD
See also Loh
(82)
Do we know what this is about?

ADDRESSED TO MOD TELNO OYR/110930Z NOV RFI FCO AND BOT (FGO PASS).

PMH Humble
12/11

NAJIM'S VISIT EMPHASISES THAT THE IRAQIS ATTACH PARTICULAR IMPORTANCE TO OBTAINING ALL AVAILABLE INFORMATION ABOUT CONTRACTS NOS S6 AND S10. APART FROM THE EARLIER REPRESENTATIONS TO THE PREVIOUS AMBASSADOR THIS WAS MADE PLAIN TO THE VISITING COMET MISSION AND THE NATURE OF THE BRITISH RESPONSE IS CLEARLY REGARDED BY THE IRAQIS AS OF POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE.

PMH
12/11

2. NO DOUBT THE INFORMATION WHICH CAN BE GIVEN TO NAJIM IS STRICTLY LIMITED IF THE DRAWINGS AND DATA HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. HOWEVER THE AMBASSADOR HOPES THAT NAJIM WILL BE GIVEN EVERY POSSIBLE FACILITY.

3. PLEASE PUT THOMSON OF COMET FULLY IN THE PICTURE.

IF GREENWOOD AND BATLEY'S HELP IS LIMITED, PERHAPS BRUCE WHITE, WHO WERE THE CONSULTANTS, MIGHT BE ABLE TO ASSIST.

MR. BALFOUR PAUL

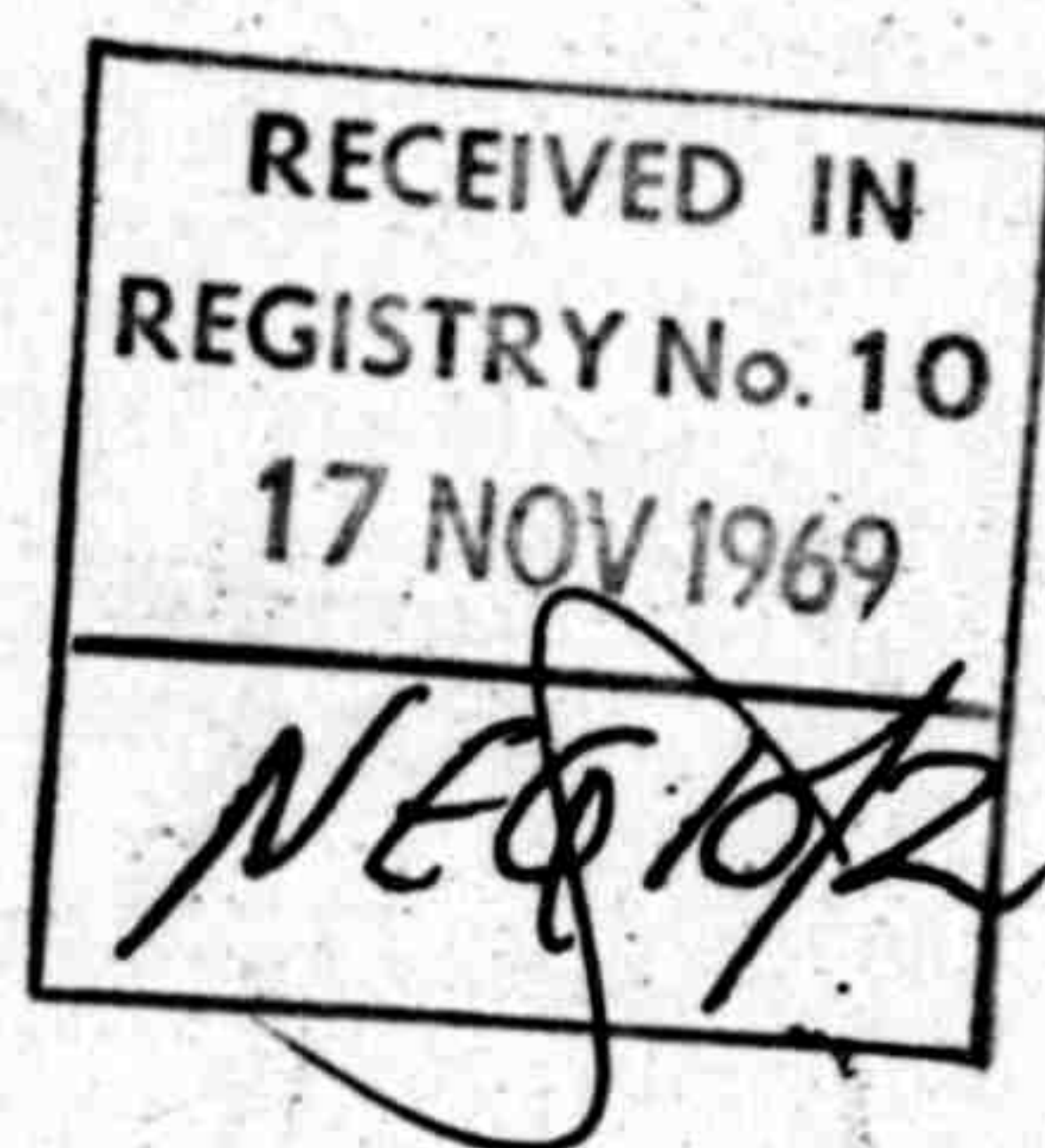
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C O N F I D E N T I A L OYR FROM SALES 5(A) YOUR SIGNAO OYR 110930Z
NOV. HAVE PUT THOMSON OF COMET IN PICTURE. GREENWOOD AND BATLEY HAVE
FOUND EQUIPMENT LISTS AND WOULD WELCOME VISIT BY MR NAJIM. SIR
BRUCE WHITE AND PARTNERS HAVE ALL DATA PERTAINING TO CIVIL
ENGINEERING SIDE INCLUDING LAYOUT DRAWINGS AND WOULD WELCOME VISIT
BY AL NAJIM. HAVE GIVEN ALL RELEVANT INFORMATION TO COL HILMI
THE IRAQI MA IN LONDON INCLUDING NAMES ETC OF CONTACTS. 18 NOV
WOULD SUIT VISIT TO BRUCE WHITE IN LONDON AND ANY OTHER DAY NEXT
WEEK FOR VISIT TO GREENWOOD AND BATLEY IN LEEDS

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